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It appears to me that Microsoft is about to escape responsibility for its continuing anti-competitive behaviors. If true, that would reflect rather poorly on our system of laws and on DOJ as an advocate of the people of the United States.

The fact that those anti-competitive behaviors continue, albeit more subtly, to this day indicate to me that no remedy that relies upon Microsoft self-control will be effective. I would not want to see this company destroyed but I would like to see a significant leveling of the software and operating system playing field.

Splitting MS into at least two parts, one for operating systems and the other for application software seems to me to be the only reasonable remedy.

Thank you for taking the time to read this e-mail.

Best regards,

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